

than asking the Mayor to look out for his interest when the reward is made.

**Swindled Hotel Man.**  
Washington, D. C., April 1.—"Eddie" Fay, who was captured in New York several days ago, and who is being held on the suspicion that he is one of the men who took part in the recent robbery of the post-office at Richmond, is the same man. It is now claimed, who less than two months ago secured \$1,100 from a local hotel proprietor by fraudulent means. While the police will not acknowledge that Fay is the man they want in connection with this case, Benjamin Lenovitz, proprietor of the hotel here, declared today, judging from a newspaper picture of Fay, that he is the man who defrauded him of \$1,100. With a companion who acted as his sales, Fay is said to have registered at one of the hotels, and to have represented himself as a Western banker. He offered Lenovitz \$125.00 for his hotel property and gave him a check for \$1,100. Fay, however, succeeded in getting from Lenovitz a check for \$1,100, "to show good faith in the transaction," as Fay said. The \$1,000 check, however, was made out to the value of \$1,100. When Lenovitz called to see the "Western banker" he and his valet had gone.

## STATE COURT WILL SETTLE QUESTION

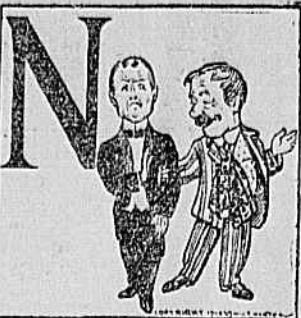
Matter of Ownership of Church Schools Will Result in Suit.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
Lynchburg, Va., April 1.—Regardless of what may be done by representatives of either the Virginia or Baltimore conferences of the Methodist Church, to get the Randolph-Macon fight before the General Conference of the Southern Methodist Church, there is no doubt but the ownership question of the schools, comprising this system of schools in Virginia will finally be determined by the courts of the State of Virginia, and in addition to this, the prediction is made that the Woman's College, of this city, will eventually be replaced on the Carnegie Foundation.

The issue by which the matter will get into the courts will be the annual meeting of the trustees at Ashland, when three vacancies existing now, or others that might occur in the meantime, will have been filled. Under the resolution of the board of trustees, passed last summer at Ashland, and reaffirmed here last fall, the names of the men elected to the board are to be certified to the two conferences for their approval, but this will be sought to be stopped by an injunction.

The bill in such a suit would rectify the whole matter from the formation of the system to the present time, and the complainants, claiming that they do not possess the right to delegate a power given them in the charter, will ask the courts for an opinion, and it will be here that the matter will be settled.

The Woman's College is more vitally affected than the four other schools, for it has already lost the benefit of



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the Carnegie Foundation, and it is thought here that the friends of this college will be the moving spirits in the filing of a bill for an injunction, and it is understood, there is an understanding already as to what will be done to secure a finality in the fight.

## MINERS CONFIDENT OF WINNING STRIKE

In Several Coal Fields There Is Already Fair Prospect of Settlement—Union Leaders and Operators Working for Agreement.

Indianapolis, Ind., April 1.—Notwithstanding that today was a stated holiday of the United Mine Workers of North America in celebration of the institution of the eight-hour work day, union leaders and operators' associations in the bituminous coal fields were busy with preparations for conferences, in which, it is hoped, settlements on new wage contracts will be reached speedily and being resumption of activity in the mines.

Negotiations in the Southwest, in Illinois and in Western Pennsylvania, probably will be protracted, for not only do some of the operators maintain that they cannot afford to pay the wage increase of cents a ton demanded by the miners, but certain knotty problems of mine operation are in controversy.

In Iowa, Western Kentucky, Indiana, Ohio and Central Pennsylvania miners and operators seemed in a fair way to-night to come to an agreement, the latter meeting the miners' stipulation for higher wages. In many fields temporary arrangements for continuing work in the mines were formulated. Pending the signing of permanent two-year contracts, however, between 250,000 and 300,000 miners will be idle for an indefinite period.

Nothing to Fear.  
St. Louis, Mo., April 1.—"Don't be alarmed over the outcome of this affair; don't be afraid that we will not be able to sign up an agreement. It will all be over within thirty days. Anyhow, this is good fishing weather."

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## THE WEATHER

Forecast: Virginia—Fair Saturday; Sunday, fair; warmer; light, variable winds, becoming south Sunday.  
North Carolina—Local showers Saturday; Sunday, fair; light to moderate, variable winds.

**CONDITIONS YESTERDAY.**  
Humidity ..... 50  
Wind, direction ..... Northeast  
Wind, velocity ..... 2 to 4  
Weather ..... Partly cloudy  
Rainfall ..... No rain  
12 noon temperature ..... 65  
5 P. M. temperature ..... 67  
Maximum temperature up to 6  
P. M. temperature ..... 53  
Minimum temperature up to 5  
Mean temperature ..... 61  
Normal temperature ..... 52  
Excess in temperature ..... 9  
Deficiency in temperature ..... 0  
Deduction in temperature since March 1 ..... 254  
Accum. excess in temperature January ..... 269  
Deficiency in rainfall since March 1 ..... 81  
Accum. deficiency in rainfall since January 1 ..... 1.18

**CONDITIONS IN IMPORTANT CITIES.**  
(At 8 P. M., Eastern Standard Time.)  
Place. H. T. Weather.  
Buffalo ..... 40 48 Clear  
Savannah ..... 74 88 P. cloudy  
Charleston ..... 72 84 Cloudy  
Pittsburg ..... 62 64 Clear  
Memphis ..... 68 70 Clear  
Oklahoma ..... 68 72 Rain  
Vicksburg ..... 68 70 Rain  
Norfolk ..... 52 60 Clear  
Hatteras ..... 54 62 Clear  
Mobile ..... 74 80 Cloudy  
Asheville ..... 68 78 Rain  
Charlotte ..... 72 82 Cloudy  
Jacksonville ..... 68 76 Rain  
New Orleans ..... 72 78 Rain  
Raleigh ..... 68 76 Cloudy  
Tampa ..... 64 72 Cloudy  
Washington ..... 68 76 Cloudy  
Cincinnati ..... 68 76 P. cloudy  
Key West ..... 72 78 Clear

**MINIATURE ALMANAC.**  
April 2, 1910.  
Sun rises ..... 5:55  
Sun sets ..... 7:55  
Moon rises ..... 12:50  
Moon sets ..... 11:00  
HIGH TIDE  
Morning ..... 10:07  
Evening ..... 11:00

## ROGUES' CALLERY RECORD OF EDDIE FAY

BUREAU OF IDENTIFICATION No. 73083  
DEPARTMENT OF POLICE, CHICAGO, ILL.  
BERTILLON MEASUREMENTS.

Height	5' 6"	Arm	36"	Trunk	36"	Length	15 1/2"	Width	12 1/2"	Depth	12 1/2"	Weight	150 lbs.
Criminals Record													
Name	Eddie Fay												
Alias	Safeblower												
Crime	Safeblowing												
Age	35												
Eyes	Blue												
Hair	Brown												
Complexion	Fair												
Birth	Chicago												
Beard	None												
Date of Arrest	May 28, 1909												
Scars and Marks	No. 1 Faint scar on right arm No. 2 Old scar on right arm No. 3 Scar on right arm												

## HOT ROW AT INQUIRY STARTED BY NELSON

Chairman of Committee Investigating Ballinger-Pinchot Affair in Clash With Attorney for Secretary.

Washington, D. C., April 1.—The most serious clash that has yet occurred among the members of the Ballinger-Pinchot investigating committee marked the forenoon sitting today. The quarrel, which continued for an hour or more, was added evidence of the growing feeling of partisanship among the Democratic and Republican members of the committee, and was taken by many to mean the hopelessness of a unanimous agreement of any sort.

The row was precipitated by Chairman Nelson accusing Attorney Brandeis, representing the "prosecution," of attempting to deceive or conceal something from the committee. The attorney, flushed with anger, jumped to his feet and demanded that the chairman's remark be withdrawn.

**Quick to Defense.**  
Democratic members of the committee were quick to take up the defense of the attorney, and Representative Graham, of Indiana, moved that the chairman be directed to withdraw the imputation. There followed a general discussion, in which members of the committee took part and stated their personal views.

A number of Republicans said they did not agree with Senator Nelson that Mr. Brandeis was attempting concealment of any sort.

It was argued by Representative Madison, the insurgent member, that the chairman reflected only his personal view, and in no wise committed any other member. Representative James argued that the matter Mr. Brandeis was accused of concealing was a record before the committee, and consequently there could be no deception if the committee members paid attention.

The matter finally was disposed of by a motion from Representative Olmstead to lay on the table. This was carried by a vote of 6 to 2.

Two witnesses were offered to-day on behalf of Mr. Ballinger. They were

**Disturbance in Liberia Said to Be Opera Bouffe.**  
Berlin, April 1.—The disturbance between the natives and the government troops in Liberia is "more comic than serious," according to a report which the admiralty received to-day from a commander of the German gunboat Sperber. The gunboat arrived at Cape Palmas about 10 o'clock, and the captain, who is offered to disburse the insurgents, General Palmer, of the Liberian army, however, declined the proffered assistance.

Government troops then opened a desultory fire, to which the revolutionists on the opposite bank of the Palm River replied. The other inhabitants of Cape Palmas did not even cease their usual occupations during the firing, but the insurgents, on seeing the Sperber, retired inland.

No danger to life or property existed when the Sperber left Cape Palmas February 23, and the report which the admiralty received to-day from a commander of the gunboat adds in his message that the Liberians ordered the Sperber's departure, and that the captain of the gunboat adds in his message that the insurgents are not likely to attack Cape Palmas while the Liberian ship is in the harbor.

Yesterday's advice by way of Liverpool stated that after the assistance of the German gunboat Sperber had been declined, her commander was given thirty-six hours in which to get out of Liberian waters, "or take the consequences."

**MONTANA PUTS TO SEA.**  
Will Make Test of Engines Before Going to Brazilian Waters.  
Norfolk, Va., April 1.—The armored cruiser Montana, having completed extensive repairs at the Norfolk Navy Yard, put to sea to-day for a short cruise in the Atlantic before proceeding to Brazilian waters to join the cruiser North Carolina, and from where the two vessels, it is expected, will later proceed to the Pacific coast. The Montana will be at sea until late to-morrow.

The Atlantic battleship fleet was today still coaling in Hampton Roads, preparatory to its departure for the Southern drill grounds, off the Virginia capes, next week.

**Postmaster Leftwich Paralyzed.**  
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
Lynchburg, Va., April 1.—S. D. Leftwich, postmaster at Nemoles, Bedford county, was paralyzed Tuesday, just as he started to come to Lynchburg. He has been in a critical condition.

**Sanan Held for Grand Jury.**  
Roanoke, Va., April 1.—At Roanoke, Va., Dimitri Sanan, a Russian, charged with attempt at assault on Little Magill, aged eight years, was given a preliminary hearing, and held to the grand jury by Magistrate Dillon.

**Successor of the Danville**  
purchasing agent of the George E. Tuckett & Son Co., Hamilton, Can., which agency he held until his death, left for Danville, Va., a prominent factor in the business enterprises of that city.

body, and escorted the remains to Riverview cemetery. The local military company, the Montpelier Guard, acted as official escort and fired a salute at the grave.

**Lewis A. Boggs.**  
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
Lewiston, Va., April 1.—Lewis A. Boggs, of "Livingston," in this neighborhood, died suddenly on the night of Easter Monday from heart failure. His grandfather, Rev. Hugh Corran Boggs, was rector of Berkeley Parish, in this county and Caroline. The funeral services were conducted by Mr. Sanders, of the Baptist Church, St. John's being at present without a minister.

## DEATHS

**EDMONDS**—Died, April 1, 1910, at 10:50 P. M. at St. Luke's Hospital, this city. JOSEPH LITTLETON EDMONDS. His remains will be taken to Danville, Va., and the funeral will be at the First Presbyterian Church of that city.

**ELLIS**—Died, at her late residence, in Goodland county, April 1, MRS. I. D. ELLIS. She leaves to mourn their loss her husband, four sons and three daughters—L. A. Ellis, W. E. and A. D. Ellis, and Mrs. B. D. Kay, of Richmond; Mrs. J. C. Gill, of Buchanan; Miss Anna Ellis, in this county and Caroline. The funeral services were conducted by Mr. Sanders, of the Baptist Church, St. John's being at present without a minister.

**PERDUE**—Died, Friday, April 1, at her home, 212 Porter Street, Manchester, EMMA WINGFIELD PERDUE, wife of James Robert Perdue. Funeral from Central Methodist Church SUNDAY, April 3, at 4 P. M.

**ROYER**—Died, at her residence, 3 North Robinson Street, April 1, at 8:30 o'clock, CONNIE, beloved wife of D. T. Royer and daughter of Mary C. and the late John T. Sizer. Besides her mother, she leaves one son, Eugene Milton, and three sisters—Mrs. P. J. Waldorf, Mrs. George Platan and Mrs. J. A. Warde. Funeral, not later.

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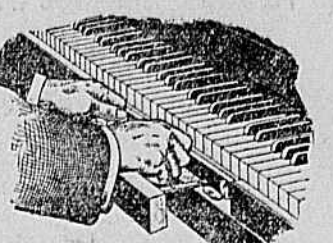
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## Rev. W. A. Cooper Named as Delegate.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
Lynchburg, Va., April 1.—Rev. W. A. Cooper, pastor of Memorial Methodist Church of this city, has been commissioned by Governor Mann as a delegate to the annual convention of the National Conference of Churches and Clergymen, which is to be held in St. Louis in May.

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